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Sir:

This amendment is responsive to the Office Action dated October 10, 2008 for which a three-month period for response was given making this response due by January 10, 2009. A petition and fee for a two month extension of time from January 10, 2009 to March 10, 2009 is submitted herewith. As such, this response is timely filed. In view of the amendments to the claims and the remarks put forth below, reconsideration and allowance are respectfully requested.